

LONG-TERM CARE

RESIDENT ROOM

Long-Term Care Facilities also known as Skilled Nursing Facilities, Assisted Living Facilities and Nursing Homes, may vary in many ways. Some may have single beds while others may have single beds with other provisions like seating areas or even kitchens.

In today's New Norm, keeping residents, Staff and Visitors safe from Infections is a challenge. Infections like C. Diff and COVID-19 as well as other HAI's are a significant cause of illness and death — and they can have serious emotional, financial, and medical consequences.



PARTNERS IN PROTECTION

HIGH-TOUCH SURFACES

High-touch surfaces are where high-level germ transmissions can occur more frequently, so they should be addressed in training and checked regularly to ensure they are being cleaned and disinfected as required.

Doors, Lights and Handles

Clean and disinfect key high-touch points frequently throughout the day.

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Resident Restrooms

- Always clean top to bottom.
- Clean from dry to wet.
- Work towards the exit door.

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COLLABORATIVE CLEANING

The Triple S Partners in Protection Program and Collaborative Cleaning Concepts are designed to provide guidance to Long-Term Care providers on how to prepare for new or newly evolved Infectious diseases whose incidence in humans has increased or threatens to increase in the near future and that has the potential to pose a significant public health threat and danger of infection to the Residents, Families and Staff of the Long-Term Care Facility.

ADDITIONAL PROTOCOLS

- Trash Removal - Empty all trash receptacles and disinfect.
- Dispensers - Unlock the dispenser and refill, disinfect the outside of dispenser.
- Sinks and Countertops - Clean and disinfect inside of the sink and exterior surfaces including all metal handles, faucets and plumbing.